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THE WHITE HOUSE HAS ASKED THAT THE FOLLOWING LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT BE TRANSMITTED TO AMBASSADOR WALKER.

BEGIN QUOTE

DEAR BILL:

I VERY MUCH APPRECIATED YOUR THOUGHTFUL LETTER.

LONG AFTER THE HARD WORK AND HURRIED PACE OF THESE PAST WEEKS ARE FORGOTTEN, I WILL REMEMBER THE GENEROUS ENCOURAGEMENT AND GOOD WILL WHICH WERE EXTENDED TO ME AND MY ENTIRE FAMILY BY OUR FELLOW AMERICANS OVER THE UNCLASSIFIED

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PAST TWO YEARS. IT HAS BEEN A GREAT HONOR AND PRIVILEGE TO SERVE THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES.

I AM GRATEFUL FOR THE PERSONAL CONTRIBUTION YOU HAVE MADE IN REPRESENTING THE UNITED STATES IN THE MULTILATERAL TRADE NEGOTIATIONS IN GENEVA AND FOR YOUR EARLIER CONTRIBUTIONS IN THE WHITE HOUSE. YOUR SERVICE IN BOTH POSITIONS

HAS MEANT A GREAT DEAL TO ME AND HAS MADE A SIGNIFICANT

CONTRIBUTION TO THE COUNTRY.

I THANK YOU FOR YOUR FRIENDSHIP AND DEDICATION, AND I SEND TO YOU MY WARMEST GOOD WISHES FOR THE FUTURE.

SINCERELY, JERRY FORD. END QUOTE. KISSINGER

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